

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE TRACK & FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS 2021

The Northamptonshire Athletic Association will be staging the 73rd County Track & Field Championships on the weekend of July 31st / August 1st.

The event had to be cancelled last year due to the pandemic and this year there is a total of 618 entries, which will see 320 athletes competing from the under 11 age group through to Masters over 40. Corby Athletic Club will once again be hosting the Championships at Rockingham Triangle for the 32nd time.

The competition was first held in 1948 and has used venues such as British Timken Athletic Track, Oundle School, Daventry Athletic Track and Lings Forum. Corby AC first hosted in 1986 and with the exception of three years at Leicester in a combined Championship (2007-2009) they have hosted ever since. It is an ideal weekend for local athletes to compete against each other with the chance of winning a County medal or even setting a championship best performance.

On the Sunday there will be a special guest appearance from ex Olympic sprinter Anita Neil from Wellingborough who will present the medals. Anita competed at the 1968 and 1972 Olympics and also won three bronze medals at the European Championships in 1969 and a silver at the Commonwealth Games in 1970.

The field events start at 10.30am on both days with the track events on both days starting at noon.

Entry fee is £1 for spectators.